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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

**DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

TESLA, INC., a Delaware corporation,  
  
Plaintiff,  
  
vs.  
  
MARTIN TRIPP, an individual,  
  
Defendant.

MARTIN TRIPP, an individual,  
  
Counterclaimant,  
  
vs.  
  
TESLA, INC., a Delaware corporation,  
  
Counterdefendant.

Case No. 3:18-cv-00296-LRH-CBC

**STIPULATION OF SUBSTITUTION OF  
LOCAL COUNSEL WITHIN SAME  
FIRM AND DESIGNATION OF  
RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO  
THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND  
CONSENT THERETO**

Pursuant to Local Rules IA 11-2(d) and 11-6 of the Local Rules of the United States  
District Court for the District of Nevada ("Local Rule"), undersigned counsel hereby files

1 this Stipulation of Substitution of Counsel within Same Firm and Designation of Resident  
2 Attorney Admitted to the Bar of this Court and Consent Thereto (“Stipulation”). Attorney  
3 Ace Van Patten (Nevada Bar No. 11731) of Tiffany & Bosco, P.A. are joining Robert D.  
4 Mitchell and William M. Fischbach III and substituting as counsel for  
5 Defendant/Counterdefendant Martin A. Tripp in place of Jason C. Kolbe and Kevin S.  
6 Soderstrom. Pursuant to Local Rule IA 11-2(d), Mr. Van Patten will serve as local counsel  
7 for Defendant/Counterclaimant Mr. Tripp. This Stipulation will not result in the delay of  
8 discovery, the trial (which has not yet been scheduled), or any hearing in this case.

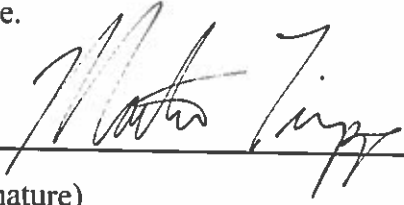
9 **DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO**  
10 **THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO.**

11 Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, Messrs.  
12 Mitchell and Fischbach believe it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Ace  
13 Van Patten, Attorney at Law and member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to  
14 practice before the above-entitled Court as associate resident counsel in this action. The  
15 address and email address of said designated Nevada counsel is: 10100 W. Charleston  
16 Blvd., Suite 220, Las Vegas, Nevada 89135, Tel.: (702) 258-8200, e-mail: avp@tblaw.com.

17 By this designation, Messrs. Mitchell and Fischbach and undersigned party(ies) agree  
18 that this designation constitutes agreement and authorization for the designated resident  
19 admitted counsel to sign stipulations binding on all of us.  
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**APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL**

The undersigned party appoints Ace Van Patten as his Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.

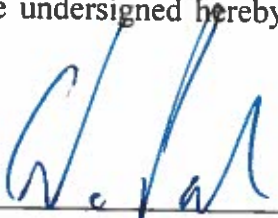
  
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(party's signature)

Martin A. Tripp, Defendant/Counterclaimant

(type or print party name, title)

**CONSENT OF DESIGNEE**

The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.

  
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Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature (Ace Van Patten)

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Bar number

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Email address

1 DATED this 20th day of March, 2020.

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3 TIFFANY & BOSCO, P.A.

4 By /s/ Robert D. Mitchell

5 Robert D. Mitchell  
6 William M. Fischbach III  
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10 *Counsel for Defendant/Counterclaimant*

11 **ORDER**

12 IT IS SO ORDERED:

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16 LARRY R. HICKS  
17 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

18 Dated: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify and declare under penalty of perjury that on March 20, 2020, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of Court for filing and uploading to the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to all parties of record.

/s/ Kaleigh Stilchen